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out of the ques-
tion - my only
literary effort
is to write pre-
-scriptions -

I put aside the book
when the gun
roars & come
shall have
time & inclina-
tion —

Yrs. truly

Wm Mitchell

Jan 24 —